

REMARKS

Upon entry of the present amendment, the specification will have been amended. In particular, in the Official Action of September 9, 2005, the Examiner objected to various terminologies in the specification. In the Response filed in the present application on February 9, 2006, Applicants made changes to the specification to eliminate the basis for the Examiner's objection based upon the Examiner's suggested changes. By the present Amendment, Applicants are further modifying two of the changes made to the specification to enable the same to be more clearly accurate and self-consistent.

In particular, by the present Amendment, the original term "decoding section 7011" is being changed to ---coding section 7011---. Support for this change is explicitly found in Fig. 10 of the original disclosure. Accordingly, the herein contained amendment does not raise any issues of new matter.

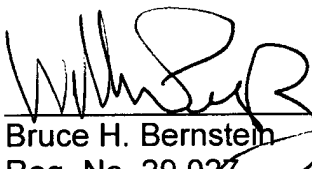
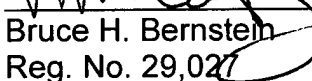
In view of the herein contained amendment to the specification together with the amendments to the specification, claims and arguments set forth in the Response filed on February 9, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of each of the outstanding rejections together with an indication of the allowability of all the claims pending in the present application, in due course. Such action is respectfully requested and is now believed to be appropriate and proper.

SUMMARY AND REMARKS

Applicants have made a sincere effort to place the present application in condition for allowance and believe that they have now done so. Applicants have merely corrected two language informalities in the specification to enable the specification to more clearly define Applicants invention and to be more internally self-consistent.

Should the Examiner have any questions or comments regarding this Response, or the present application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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